

# Alexandria Gazette

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ALEXANDRIA, VA., WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 3, 1910.

PRICE 2 CENTS.

## STEAMERS

### Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Co.

Every day in the year for Fort Monroe, Norfolk, Newport News and points south, via superb, powerful steel palace steamers.

Leave Washington, 6.45 p. m.  
Leave Alexandria, 7.00 p. m.  
Arrive Ft. Monroe, 7.00 a. m.  
Arrive Norfolk, 8.00 a. m.  
Leave Norfolk, 8.00 p. m.  
Leave Portsmouth, 8.00 a. m.  
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Leave Ft. Monroe, 7.00 p. m.  
Arrive Alexandria, 6.30 a. m.  
Arrive Washington, 7.00 a. m.

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Alexandria's Favorite Salt Water Resort.

Steamers daily at 9.30 a. m. except Monday and special week-end trips.

Steamer ST. JOHN'S 3.00 p. m. SATURDAY.

Steamer QUEEN ANNE 6.30 p. m. SATURDAY.

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Foot of Cameron Street.

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## SCHEDULE

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Effective May 9, 1910.

Steamer "Capital City."

Leaves Alexandria at 6 p. m. on Monday and Wednesday for Farham's Point and lower river landings. Return early Wednesday and Friday morning. Leave Saturday 4.15 a. m. for Alexandria and returning at Alexandria about 1 p. m.

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Greatly reduced fares, via Southern Railway from principal Virginia points account above occasion: dates of sale September 9th and 10th, final limit, September 21st. Consult agents or write L. S. Brown, General Agent, 705 Fifteenth street northwest, Washington, D. C., for full particulars.

WEEK END TICKETS.

Local week end tickets Washington to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Bluemont and intermediate stations sold on Saturdays and Sundays, valid for return on Monday at very low fares. Will be placed on sale by Southern Railway at Washington, D. C., beginning SATURDAY, MAY 28th, and continuing until October 2, inclusive.

L. S. BROWN, General Agent

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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will be printed in the paper as advertisements.

## AGRICULTURE IN ALASKA.

Would you care to run a truck farm with strawberries selling at \$1.25 to \$2 a quart, cucumbers \$2 to \$5 a dozen, celery 50 cents each, tomatoes 50 cents to \$1 a pound, and other products at proportionate prices. Or would you prefer general farming, with a few pigs and chickens as a side line, with hay selling at \$80 to \$100 a ton, hogs 30 cents a pound, young pigs 75 cents a pound, and eggs \$2 a dozen? These prices are received in Alaska under favorable market conditions, but the prospective settler should consider the difficulties and expense of farming as well as the high prices of his products.

Alaska is not generally given much consideration from an agricultural standpoint, and yet, despite the rigorous climate, a large variety of grains, small fruits, and vegetables are being successfully grown. Experiments are being made with fruit trees, but the results thus far have not been very encouraging. The work conducted by the government, with grains at the Rampart Experiment Station has been an unqualified success. Varieties of nearly all grains have been found that grow well.

A cattle-breeding station at Kodiak is working to develop the milking qualities of Galloway cattle, as they are the most hardy and best adapted to the climate. It is believed that this will be accomplished. The object will be to furnish hardy, acclimated cattle to settlers in the country at a price not higher than the cost of taking them from the United States. The coast region is well suited to the raising of cattle.

There are several successful farmers in the vicinity of Fairbanks, some of whom are general farmers and others are running market gardens. While they are meeting with some failures of parts of their crops by frosts and cold and wet summers, yet they are learning by experience to overcome many of the discouragements of the climate.

The climate shows a wide variation, from 90 degrees Fahrenheit at Rampart on the Yukon river, in July, with an average for the month of 63 degrees, to 69 degrees below zero at Fort Egbert, near the Klondike gold fields, in January, with an average for the month of 40 degrees below zero. The coast towns are mild for that region, neither Sitka nor Kodiak reaching zero during 1909, while June only reached 5 degrees below in January, with a daily mean for the month of 14.15.

The annual report of Alaska Agricultural Experiment Stations for 1909 has just been issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and is for sale by the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. It gives a complete report of the experimental stations, together with extracts from letters written by growers showing results with different seeds furnished by the stations.

When the digestion is all right, the action of the bowels regular, there is a natural craving and relish for food. When this is lacking you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They strengthen the digestive organs, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

## MOVE AGAIN BUSH MEETINGS.

A coroner's inquest, summoned by State's Attorney William F. Johnson, in Snow Hill, Md., yesterday rendered a verdict that James Edward Purnell was killed by David Blake, and that the killing was not of self-defense by Blake. The fight which resulted in the death of Purnell occurred July 24 on the county road, near Box Iron. Blake and Purnell, together with several other colored men and women, were on their way to a campmeeting. Suddenly a dispute arose and Blake and Purnell became involved in a fight. Purnell seemed to crowd Blake. Blake, to defend himself, snatched a standard from the wagon and struck Purnell on the head. Purnell fell unconscious and remained so until his death, Monday. Blake was arrested.

Bush meetings, or fourth-rate campmeetings, are becoming such a nuisance to law-abiding citizens, both white and black, in the vicinity of Snow Hill that the next legislature will be asked to pass a law forbidding the congregation of undesirable assemblages along the county roads. One night last week an attempt was made to hold up an automobile, which was driven by a prominent citizen of Montgomery county, as it was passing one of these meetings. Fortunately for the occupants, the driver heard an exclamation from the side of the road which put him on the alert and as he reached the meeting he found a line up across the road which was intended to cause him to stop. Instead of stopping, he put the car at high speed and broke through the line, leaving the negroes to wonder who had disposed the plot.

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## SPAIN'S CHURCH QUARREL.

Garcia Prieto, the Spanish minister for foreign affairs, in an interview at San Sebastian yesterday, in which he recited the history of the negotiations between Spain and the Vatican, denied that the Vatican had adopted a conciliatory attitude. He added:

"The government asks only two things. First, the suppression of the convents and monasteries which entered Spain illegally, and, second, that the pope should authorize the bishops to suppress or transform the establishments unnecessary to the aid of the priests in their ministrations."

"The government offered a year for the transformation which was desired by secular clergy, whose existence is gravely compromised by the monks." Senor Prieto declared that Cardinal Merry Del Val, the papal secretary of state, had adopted dilatory tactics from the first, alleging that the speech from the throne contained points against the Catholic religion.

"We protested our good faith and desire to reach an agreement," said the minister, "when we enforced the decree of 1902 against which neither the curia nor the episcopate had protested. Cardinal Merry Del Val demanded that the decree remains a dead letter, although the Vatican has since that date granted numerous authorizations without the sanction of the Spanish government."

"Finally the demand of the Vatican for the withdrawal of the bill permitting non-Catholic organizations to display the insignia of public worship was deemed inadmissible. The recall of Marquis de Ojeda, our ambassador at the Vatican, was in full accordance with diplomatic usage, when a power with which another power is in relation refuses to admit the justified pretensions of the latter or adopts an arbitrary course."

Three little boys, who had been sought for since they were missed from their homes in Brooklyn Monday afternoon, were found dead yesterday in a nearby vacant lot, where a sand embankment had fallen upon them while they were at play. The presence of the bodies in the sand pile was discovered by a dog playing with his boy master in the lot. It is supposed the boys had been attempting to tunnel the sand and it caved in upon them.

Appalachian Exposition, Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 12-Oct. 12.

Greatly reduced fares account above occasion on sale via Southern Railway Sept. 10 to Oct. 12, inclusive, from all principal Virginia points, including Washington, D. C. Final limit Oct. 15. Call on nearest agent or write L. S. Brown, General Agent, 705 15th street northwest Washington, D. C., for full particulars about fares, schedules, etc.

Sample Shoes, worth \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00; your choice, \$2.24. See our windows. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 492 King street.

JOHN P. ROBINSON, President. GEO. S. FRENCH, Secretary.

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Grass Carpet, 40c grade, at 25c

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**RESOURCES**

Loans and Investments, \$884,488.80

U. S. Bonds, 125,000.00

Banking House, 73,291.61

Due from Banks and Reserve Agents, 98,104.41

Cash, 44,533.60

5 Per Cent Fund, 3,400.00

\$1,228,838.42

**LIABILITIES**

Capital, \$100,000.00

Surplus and Profits, 183,522.51

Circulation, 99,000.00

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120 N. St. Asaph street.....18 00	330 Commerce street.....8 50
1123 Duke street.....16 00	328 Commerce street.....8 00
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A SPECIAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ARLINGTON & FALLS CHURCH RAILWAY COMPANY, will be held FRIDAY, August 5, 1910, at 2 p. m. at the company's office at Mt. Vernon, Va., for the purpose of authorizing the acquisition of new construction, equipment and improvements, and such other business as may come before the meeting.

JOHN W. RICH, Secretary.

PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received at the office of the City Engineer until 12 o'clock noon August 4, 1910, and then opened, for the erection of steel cells and alterations of the Alexandria, Va., jail. Plans and specifications can be seen at the City Engineer's office. The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to accept the proposal that the Committee on Public Property may deem best for the interest of the City of Alexandria.

CEAS. B. MARSHALL, Chairman Com. on Pub. Property. City 1512